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## Albert Rossi Takes Post Of Councilman Thru 1952

MAYOR OF 1940-41 RETURNS TO PUBLIC TASK;  
BEAVERTON DEFENSE DIRECTOR NAMED SEPT. 12

At the regular monthly meeting held September 12, the Beaverton city council accepted the resignation of Paul Taggart and appointed Albert Rossi, mayor of 1940-41, to fill out the unexpired term thru December, 1952. David Lofgren, city attorney, officiated at the swearing-in of the councilman-replacement.

An ordinance establishing a city civilian defense agency, to cooperate with state, county, West Slope Rural Fire Protection district and the Beaverton Rural Fire Protection district, was passed. Quentin B. Griffin, of Commonwealth, Inc., was named director and under him will be six district directors and a planning group composed of heads of various municipal departments such as fire, water, police and streets.

The city of Beaverton voted for reimbursement in matters of mail, postage, stationery, collections, accounting, other overhead and for supervision in all public improvements made in the city. For projects of less than \$1,000, 10% will be charged with 7 1/2% for improvements of \$1,000 or more. This amount will be added to all future assessments.

September 26 was set as remonstrance date on the matter of improving the streets from S. W. First and Washington streets to S. W. 2nd street. Property owners have petitioned for replacement of wooden mains, installation of storm sewer, graveling and paving when possible, including installation of curbs. Time for protests is set at 8 p. m. in the city hall.

Viewers report on Ninth street was accepted by the city council, when no objections appeared. City attorney will prepare an ordinance setting up schedule of assessments.

Ninth street improvement specifications call for an oil surface and not blacktop, it was reported. This has necessitated certain changes in council plans and promises.

Upon request, a letter was dispatched to the Beaverton Highlands company, in the new Sandberg addition, giving formal notification that annexation of the subdivision had been approved by a vote of the city.

Oregon Asphalt Paving company, submitting a bill for the paving of First street which is expected to bring this improvement cost to about \$14,000, will have its payment held in abeyance by the council, pending discussions with the contractor on certain excessive items.

A delegation of residents from Hazel street, including Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Schweitzer and Mr. Frank asked for immediate repairs to the street in front of their homes. A lengthy discussion followed, concerning responsibility of the sewer contractor to fulfill that part of the contract requiring the streets to be put back in the same shape as before they were dug up.

Request of the police and fire departments for a 280 gallon tank and use pump which may be purchased for about \$45 drew favor-

## Tax. Co. Installs Radiophone For Better Service

Preparing to offer better service at the onset of fall and winter rains, the Valley Taxi of Beaverton has installed two-way radio communication from office to cabs, announces V. L. Wisner, owner.

With this addition to service, he says, faster pickup and operation economy will result, with benefits to customers and operators as well. Every day new advantages show up under the new setup, he adds.

Equipment includes a receiving-station at the cab office and receiver-sender in each of the company's two cabs. Calls that come into the office are immediately flashed to the closest cab. Distances to travel for pickup of passengers, thereby, will be cut to a minimum and more speed will also result in the cars not being required to return to the dispatching offices before answering the call.

In rainy weather, advantages will be more noticeable, Wisner adds. Patrons will usually find waiting periods cut to a minimum, already, one cab proves almost enough to handle the previous two-cab business.

Equipment is the latest products of Motorola Radio Corporation, costing in the neighborhood of \$1700 installed.

able reaction from the council. It was voted to have each department pay for half the cost from its own funds. With storage, the city will be able to buy ethyl gasoline for 21.45 cents per gallon.

Bicycle-riding on city sidewalks is prohibited and enforcement was called for, after reports received from various citizens of being run down by bike-wrangling youngsters.

## Beaverton Hi Enrolls 808--Year's Start

EARLY SIGNUP IN CLASSES TELLS OF OVER 73 INCREASE

Beaverton union high school, district 10 J., registered an increase of 73 students over 1949 at the start of the year and all indications tell of a greater rate of growth before the end of the first month, reports I. R. Metzler, superintendent. Figures on enrollment showed 808 the first of this current week.

Registrations made last spring, before the end of school but which have not shown up this fall, nor been subject to request of transfer, total 22, many of whom are considered sure to continue.

With the hectic confusion of school's beginning, Metzler points out, accurate figures are difficult to determine. He believes the subsequent student totals will show an even greater increase than 73.

In the home economics department, seven new Montag double-oven, fully automatic electric stoves have been delivered and installed. Science tables, promised at the start of the school year, are now said to be deliverable on December 15—due to delays at the factory.

Cafeteria will open Thursday, having been delayed until completion of the additional boiler installation. There are now two boilers, with forced draft and automatic controls, which promise to care for heat needs in the winter season.

## High School PTA Meets Sept. 26th; Sets Up Sections

Beaverton union high school PTA, organized last spring, has set its first meeting of the new school year for September 26, at the high school.

Main item on the agenda will be the organization of group sections and the working out of an organizational program. About four regular meetings per school year were originally planned and some determinations are expected as to what the group will seek to accomplish in its first year of its activity.

Speakers will be present and a general discussion called for on the matter of the proposed increase in state basic school support funds, to raise such apportionment from \$50 per census child to \$80.

In Washington county, PTA leaders point out, property taxes at present support public schools to the degree of 70%, with state funds providing the remaining 30%. Since the state government has established the system of common schools, it is felt, it should assume a greater proportion of the financial responsibility.

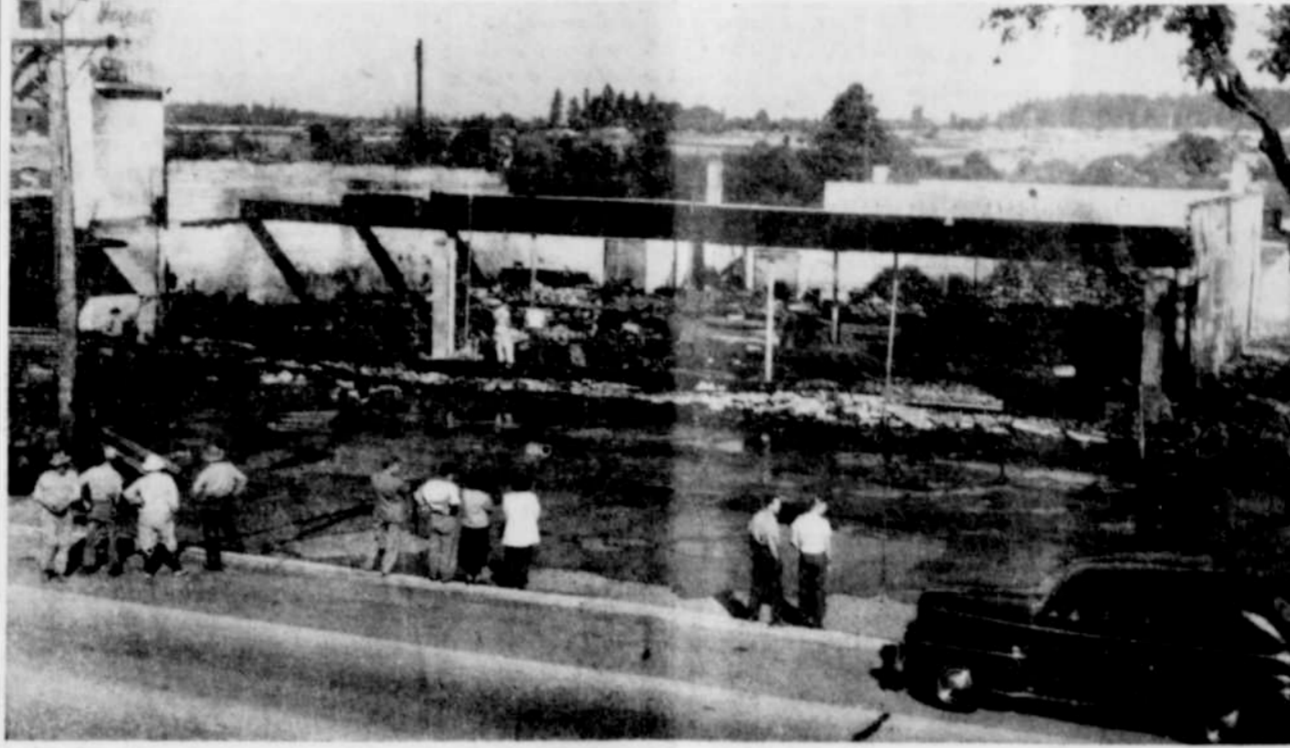
All parents of high school students are particularly urged to participate in the newly formed PTA. Meeting time is 8 p. m.

## Buddenhagens Announce Troth Of Barbara Ann

At a recent party at their home in Cedar Hills, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Buddenhagen announced the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Ann, to Ramsey Paul Fendall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Crum.

Both the young people graduated from the University of Oregon last June. Miss Buddenhagen has chosen Nov. 11 for the wedding day.

## Center Will Rise From Cold Ashes



From the cold ashes of Teresi's Food Center and Falk's Hardware, hit in a disastrous blaze of September 7, about 3:30 a. m., new buildings will arise, declares Howard Haskell, proprietor. Damage estimates have varied from \$125,000 to \$250,000 and all insurance adjustments are reported as yet incomplete.

Cause of the fire still remains a mystery. Outbreak is believed to have occurred at the rear of the food center and it is now known whether faulty refrigeration equipment or wiring defects are to blame.

Cause of the damage, however, is largely laid to the inability of existing two-inch water lines to supply sufficient water to dampen the blaze. Fire chief, Archie Olson, reports the department was on hand in plenty of time but with no water they could do little more than watch the conflagration develop.

Reflections of the fire, punctuated by the explosion of shotgun shells in the hardware department and various canned foods in the grocery store, attracted a large crowd, mostly clad in pajamas.

Frank Teresi, according to Haskell, is still negotiating with his insurance adjusters while Melvin Falk, of the hardware store, has already arranged to continue in business on a small scale, utilizing quarters next to the Paxson Finance company at the center, pending reconstruction of his former site.

Less than one week from the time of the ruinous fire, workmen arrived in the area to install new 8 inch mains from the West Slope water district, replacing the 2 inch line. Line of their digging was between the end of Haskell Center and the C. E. Mason school.

(Photo by Harrell-Beaverton)

## Delinquents Face Sept. 28 Army Status

COUNTY BD. LISTS EIGHT IN DEFAULT; ALERTS FBI MEN

On orders of state Selective Service headquarters for local boards to order the induction of every delinquent registrant as of August 31, the Washington county board lists eight men who face an Army status of September 28. These men are to report at the induction station, this date, at 425 S. W. Taylor, Portland.

Among those in default are at least two now serving in the Merchant Marine. Frank Miller, Forest Grove, chairman of the draft board, points out that a registrant is not supposed to leave the United States without permission and duty in the merchant fleet is not accepted as a valid excuse for failure to comply with draft board orders. The Federal Bureau of Investigation will be alerted to trace any of the delinquents who fail to report for induction.

Those listed by the board include: Larry John Johnson, last known address, Auburn, Washington, and originally registered from Route 2, Portland; Stanley Parks Green, of Roby, Texas and registered at Forest Grove; James Leon Briggs, formerly from a fictitious address in Hillsboro, present whereabouts unknown; Lee Ellis Yost, believed in Merchant Marine, from Manning and designated as leaving the country without permission; Richard Hale Enos, of Forest Grove; Floyd Glen Hirst, Nampa, Idaho, and originally at Hillsboro; Wyman Duane Turner, Park Rapids, Minnesota, originally at Sherwood, and Charles Earl Hicketier, Route 5, Portland, and believed in the Merchant Marine, also without permission to leave the country.

State headquarters point out there is nothing mandatory in Selective Service regulations requiring the reopening or considering a new classification of men who report marriages after their order to report for armed forces physical examination has been issued.

Definite hardship, arising from conditions beyond any financial considerations must be established to make a marriage after the issue of such an order qualify a registrant for the privilege of reclassification on the basis of dependency.

In the case of registrants now carried as delinquents, headquarters adds, in many cases the men have never filed questionnaires or have moved, failing to advise his board of the new whereabouts.

In some cases, the registration card indicates some of the registrants have passed their 26th birthday and in others there is a claim of simple justice with the armed forces to justify deferment. However, the local board is not

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## Jayettes Give Fashion Tonics At Style Revue



Mrs. Florence Enger

Ladies of the area, in fact 150 of them, had an unusual fall fashion tonic at the September 8 style revue presented September 9, at 8 p. m., in the Beaverton high school cafeteria, by the Beaverton Jayettes. Theme of this annual show was "The Window" and the latest of fall styles for women were displayed, from the Mode, Fashion House, Casual Shop (Chez Susy) and children's apparel from Jeanne's Kiddies' Clothes, Weiby's, Whiteside's Variety and Walkers.

Shown in the illustration is Florence Enger, modeling a suit from the Casual Shop. Jayette wives and children were models for the full-size display.

During the intermission, Anita Plenovi and three of her young pupils presented dance numbers. Grayton Dugan, of Newberg, furnished background music for the event, with his Hammond organ.

Receipts are earmarked for various public projects of the club. (Photo by Travis Cavens)

## "Back To School" Motif Keynotes First PTA Meet

RALEIGH—The first meeting of the Raleigh school PTA will be held at the school Monday evening, September 18th, at eight o'clock. The "Back to School" program seeks to acquaint the fathers and mothers with the teacher and the classroom techniques for the coming year.

## Post Office Man Suffers Hemorrhage

BRAIN CLOT HITS PAT BOYLE EARLY ON SEPTEMBER 12

Pat Boyle, of 4435 Shaw street, in Huber, suffered a brain hemorrhage about 6:30 a. m. and is in the Good Samaritan hospital, in a critical condition.

Boyle had worked at the Beaverton post office for the last five years, shortly after his discharge from the navy, where he served throughout World War II as a postal clerk.

He has a wife, one son and two daughters.

He has been supplementing his post office job for the last six or eight months by working nights at Kirwin's service station, at the corner of Bertha-Beaverton-Broadway.

Doctors attribute his seizure to overwork. Boyle is under constant nurse's care.

## Daughter Seeks Family Trace Of W. R. Bonebrake

Trace of the William Robert Bonebrake family, which moved to Beaverton from Walla Walla, Washington, in the '20s, is sought by Mrs. E. C. Wedgwood, General Delivery, Redwood City, California.

The family included the father; Nellie Mae, the mother; children Abigail, Robert W., Albert and Viola Fern. The parents separated, with the mother marrying Joseph L. Krull.

At that time, the grandmother took Abbie and Albert while Robert and Viola Fern were put out for adoption.

Mrs. Wedgwood, who is Viola Fern, wrote that she has not seen her parents since she was about 6 years old and would like to locate anyone who might give her information about them.

Readers who might know of the Bonebrake family are urged to either contact the newspaper or write directly to Mrs. Wedgwood.

## Good Attendance At WSCS Ladies First Meeting

The W.S.C.S. of the Methodist Church, Beaverton, met Friday afternoon, Sept. 8 at the home of Mrs. W. A. Cavanaugh, 1502 S. W. Farmington Rd., with a large attendance.

Rev. Horace Mounts gave the lesson from "We Seek Him Together" and Mrs. Lydia Larkin led the devotions.

Melon from Mrs. Cavanaugh's garden was served. Mrs. Louis Walker was assistant hostess.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Alma Thomas, 280 N. E. Broadway.

## PMA Helps In Cleaning Up Ditch, Beaverton To Huber

ALMOST 20,000 FEET INVOLVED AT ESTIMATED COST OF \$6,000; GOV'T. PAYS 60% OF CONTRACT

A long neglected job is in the process of completion, in the cleaning out of the ditch from Beaverton almost to Huber avenue, reported Albert Rossi, newly inducted councilman, who requested the city of Beaverton to clean its side of 800 feet of ditch property along its sanitary sewage disposal plant.

Cooperating in the cleanup is the Production and Marketing Administration, a government agricul-

tural agency, which contributes about 60% of the contract costs. Almost 20,000 feet of ditch is involved. Estimated cost, per foot, is 30 cents, or a total of about \$600. The city, for its share, must pay 15 cents for 800 feet, or a total of \$120.

The culvert on Cedar street, which has overflowed in recent flood conditions, is expected to handle all the water in the ditch, by reason of having the waterway beyond cleared of willows, brush and debris. Water had previously run over the street.

Beginning of the ditch job will be even with the front of the Showboat Tavern and behind Guy Carr's new Chevrolet garage past St. Mary's Boys' Home and almost to Huber avenue. Under regulations of the PMA, it can cooperate only when the main advantage is to agriculture.

Property owners are required to pay on the basis of property adjacent to the ditch.

COUNCIL ODDS AND ENDS

Fire trucks of the Beaverton department rate as highly efficient, following an inspection by the Portland fire department testing station, reported H. H. Jeffries, mayor. Equipment delivered more than was required, in pressure tests.

Parking on Second street, in Beaverton, during school hours, makes only one-way traffic possible and cars left by the school's tennis court interferes with the walkway, complaints at the meeting charged. School officials will be notified of this situation.

No parking signs and a yellow painted curb on First street, across from the fire hall, will be replaced, it was voted. The markers had been taken up during the improvement on the street.

Beaverton planning commission was handed the petition of property owners next to a Mr. McCoy, 1390 S. E. Lombard, offering no objections to his extending a garage within nine feet of the front property line, rather than the 15 feet called for by the city building code. The planners meet September 20 and will be asked for an opinion.

Signers included Mrs. G. H. Moore, 630 S. W. Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Moore, 462 S. E. Allen.

Fire hydrants requested for Berthold and at the corner of 10th and Main were referred to Archie Olson, fire chief. It was pointed out that existing two-inch water mains are not sufficient to deliver the volume of water needed to fight a major blaze.

Comfort station will be voted on the general election ballot. Provided will be two public toilet facilities for boys and for girls. Cost will be determined by time of the next meeting.

Study of the proposed mercury vapor lighting system for the city was undertaken, with final action awaiting an estimate of costs and further investigation of the idea.

## Kindergarten Of Music Continues In Spite Of Fire



Despite the Haskell Center fire of September 7, the Naomi Rooney Musical Kindergarten, being instructed by Norma J. McGee at Beaverton, continued in an adjacent building at the center, pending full repairs on the fire damaged quarters.

Although the kindergarten had operated but one day, Mrs. McGee reports that parents of her pupils have been most cooperative in offering help in getting the classes to resume.

The unique music-training class will return to its original building the first of next week, according to plans announced at midweek. Another class, in addition to the first, is being planned because of the continuing requests of parents.

In the illustration, left to right, are Mrs. Rooney, who authored the kindergarten course under her own copyright, and her sister, Mrs. McGee, who acts as an instructor in Studio II.

(Photo by Harrell-Beaverton)

## JOBS DAUGHTERS DATE

Bethel No. 20 Order Jobs Daughters will meet on Monday night, Sept. 18, at 7:30 for their regular stated meeting.